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# From the President

Dear Guild Members,

Welcome New Guild Members and our returning Guild members. As we move into our 51<sup>st</sup> year, we look forward to exciting times together.

We move into our new home, the Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre, in mid October with premier of the first play, "A Mid Summer's Night's Dream" on October 24. Final preparations are in place for the weeklong Celebration and Grand Opening of the Center for the Performing Arts Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre, October 12 – 18. Be part of our inaugural season by securing your seats with the season ticket discount available only for Guild members. These special priced tickets are available to you on the Guild website, or by calling the Dallas Theater Center at 214-526-8210.

Mark your calendar now for our Fall General meeting on Monday, September 14, 6:30 p.m. at Times Ten Cellars in Dallas. This meeting is an opportunity for you to introduce your guests to our outstanding and innovative Guild, what we have to offer, and ways to become involved. And if you haven't already renewed your membership, do so now.

Thank you for the continued help and support of service, education, and fundraising you provide our theater. We continue to increase awareness of the Dallas Theater in the community.

I look forward to a sensational year as President of your Guild.

**Sherry Sivils** 

## **Membership Reaching for New Goal**

Our Membership is ever increasing with Co-Chairs, **Susan Falvo** and **Marilyn Phenow's** leadership. It's not too late to renew your membership and invite a friend as a new member.

You can join online www.dtcguild.org or by calling Susan, 214-725-9300 or Marilyn, 619-857-1015.

Please call Nancy Ritter, Guild Directory Chair, at 972-980-6979, with any address, email, or phone changes.

A Memorial gift or Tribute gift form is available in the back of the Directory for the **Guild's Endowment Fund**, or by contacting **Glenda Priolo**, Chair, 214-341-2268.

Be part of the Guild on Facebook at Facebook.com.

Type Dallas Theater Center Guild in Groups.





# Be a Part of History

Don't miss your chance.....Your Priority Seat is reserved just for you in the Dallas Center for the Performing Arts, Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre. It will be unlike any other theatre in the world. The 2009-2010 Season plays have been announced and are listed in the newsletter. They are also available at <a href="https://www.dallastheatercenter.org">www.dallastheatercenter.org</a> or by calling the box for tickets at 214-252-3925.

Photo by Ruda Anderson

## 2009-2010 Dallas Theater Center Guild Calendar

September	
Monday, September 14, 6:30 pm	General Meeting, Times Ten Cellars
Thursday, September 17, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
October	1 7
Thursday, October 15, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
Monday, October 19, 6:30 pm	General Meeting, Wyly Theatre
Sunday, October 25, 4:30 pm	Tech Dinner, Wyly Theatre
Tuesday, October 27, 6:30 pm	New Member Reception, Home of Janet Nylund
November	
Thursday, November 19, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
Sunday, November 29, 4:30 pm	Tech Dinner, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
December	
Sunday, December 13, 7:00 pm	Guild Holiday Party
January	
Sunday, January 10, 4:30 pm	Tech Dinner, Wyly Theatre
Monday, January 11, 6:30 pm	General Meeting
Thursday, January 21, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
February	
Thursday, February 18, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
Sunday, February 21, 4:30 pm	Tech Dinner, Wyly Theatre
Monday, February 22, 6:30 pm	General Meeting
March	
Spring Guild Off-Stage Outing	
Friday, March 5, 11:30 am	TACA Neiman Marcus Silver Cup Luncheon
April	
Sunday, April 11, 4:30 pm	Tech Dinner, Wyly Theatre
Monday, April 12, 6:30 pm	General Meeting
Spring Tea	
Thursday, April 15, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
May	D 114 d 17 17 11 1 1 1 1 1 1
Thursday, May 20, 11:30 am	Board Meeting, Kalita Humphrey's Theater
June	Took Dinney Weder Thooks
Sunday, June 13, 4:30 pm	Tech Dinner, Wyly Theatre

### New Member Reception – Tuesday, October 27, 2009

The 2009 – 2010 year New Member Reception at the home of **Janet Nylund**, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm. Chaired by **Deborah Armstrong**, this event is an opportunity for new members to meet the Guild Board, learn about Guild plans and events, and ways to become involved.

#### Get Involved In the Tech Dinners.

The Sunday before the opening of every DTC production a run through for the entire cast and Technical/production crew is held. The Guild prepares and serves a home-cooked meal for the cast and crew. The first Tech Dinner is Sunday, October 25, 4:30 pm at the Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre for the 2009-2010 Season's kick off play, "A Midsummer Night's Dream".

To be a part of this special occasion and to meet the cast and crew, contact **Ruda Anderson** at ruda@rudaanderson.com or 214-280-7178

### **Sweet Endings, New Beginnings – 1959 – 2009**



On May 19, 2009, at the home of **Faye Briggs**, Guild members celebrated **50 years** of the Guild.

A toast was shared to the past, the present and the future, honoring the Past Guild Presidents, Dickens of a Christmas Past Chairs and Honorees, and to the newly elected Guild Board. **Michelle Mew**, Guild President, 2008-2009, chaired the event.

# Dallas Theater Center Guild

DTC Guild Newsletter is published four times a year. Email photos and articles to djsivils@att.net. The next deadline is December 15, 2009. The next newsletter will be in January 2010. Newsletters also posted on the website.



We're on the Web!

See us at:

www.dtcguild.org

#### Become a Part of the Guild

Share your interest and talent by becoming involved in the Guild. Be part of one of our committees which include: Membership, Theater Services, Social Arrangements, Publications, Adopt an Artist, Fundraising, Outings, New Member Mentoring, Speaker's Bureau, Spring Tea or Staff Appreciation Luncheon.

Contact Marilyn Phenow at maphenow@netscape.net or 619-857-1015.

#### **Dallas Theater Center 2009-2010 Season**

August 24 - November 22, 2009 - **A Midsummer Nights Dream** - Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre

December 1 – December - 27, 2009 - A Christmas Carol - Kalita Humphrey's Theater

January 15 - February 14, 2010 - Give It Up! - Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre

February 23 – May 23, 2010 - The Beauty Plays - Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre

April 16 – May 16, 2010 - **Death of A Salesman** - Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre

June  $18 - \text{July } 25, 2010 - \text{It's a Bird... It's a Plane...It's Superman! - Dee and Charles Wyly Theatre$ 

Form more information or to purchase tickets, please call the Dallas Theater Center box office at 214-522-8499 or visit dallastheatercenter.org online.

